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TELL ME

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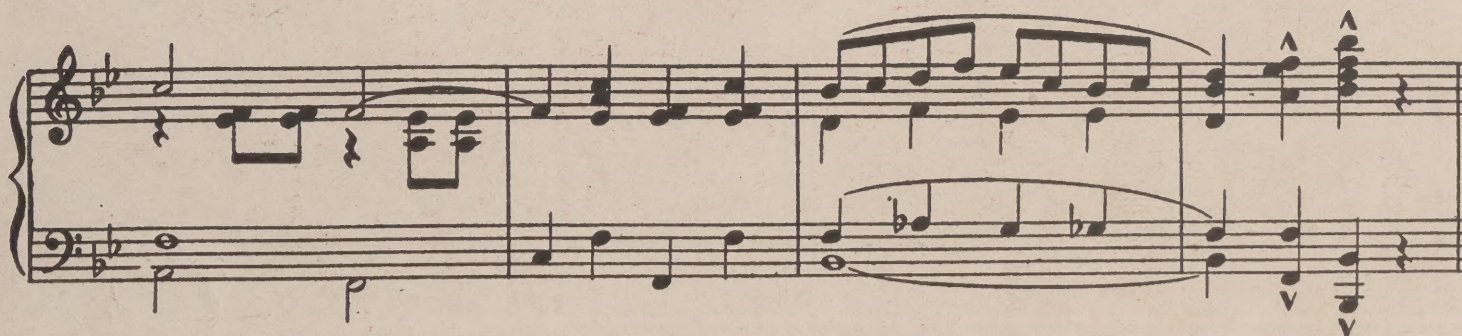
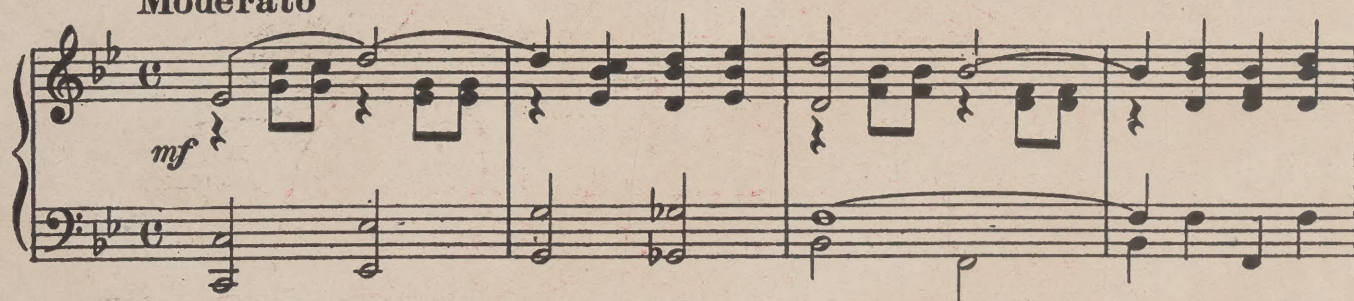
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For your answers I am yearn-ing Like a school-boy
Sor-rows van-ish, cares go wing-ing, All a-round me

seek-ing learn-ing; Al - tho' I've searched in - vain —
birds are sing-ing; And - when we say good - bye —

With my might and main, All the know-ledge
Some-thing makes me sigh, Life grows wear-y,

learned - at col - lege, Still that - don't ex - plain. —
days grow drear-y, Can you tell me why. —

CHORUS

Tell me _____ why nights are lone - some, _____

p-f *L.H. ad lib.*

Tell me _____ why days are blue, _____

Tell me _____ why all the sun - shine _____ Comes just at

one time, _____ when I'm with you; _____

rit.

Why do I hate to go dear,

L.H. ad lib.

And hate to say good - bye? Now

some - how it's al-ways so, dear, And if you know, dear,

1 please tell me why. 2 why.

TELL ME WHY

SONG

Lyric by
RICHARD COBURN
CHORUS

Music by
VINCENT ROSE

Tell me why I a - dore the things you do Tell me

p. f

why I can't get e - nough of you Tell me

why You just thrill me thro' and thro' With your

eyes With your sighs With your lies Tell me

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